

NORTH CAROLINA STATE DISASTER RECOVERY TASK FORCE

Recovery Support Function (RSF) 7 – Environmental Preservation October 22, 2019

2:00PM - 4:00PM

Archdale Building Hearing Room, 512 N. Salisbury St., Raleigh

2:00PM

Welcome, Introductions, and Overview of Agenda

RSF Member Introductions

Any groups that were not present at the previous meeting

Discussion of Challenges and Opportunities

Goal: Identify the major challenges we face and opportunities we see that can be created with and through existing recovery efforts and resiliency practices in environmental preservation.

- What challenges are your agency/organization facing in protecting the natural environment and serving our communities during the Matthew, Florence, and Dorian long-term recoveries?
- What best practices should be expanded?
- What, if any, practices should be introduced?
- How can your agency/organization better take advantage of existing opportunities?

Some Issues Raised at Last Meeting

- Need better understanding of river basin-wide impacts
- Need for funding for resiliency planning and projects
- Lack of local capacity for planning and programs related to resilience
- Need for closer relationship among departments (eg. DEQ and DOA)

Prioritization of Issues for RSF Work Plan

Wrap Up and Next Steps

- Next Steps for RSF Work Plan, as recommended by group
- Each agency to review its appendix to the State Disaster Recovery Framework and provide updates/edits

4:00 PM

Close



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NC Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ)

USDA, Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)

Governor's Office

NC Cooperative Extension (NCCE)

NC Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (NCDA&CS)

NC Department of Natural and Cultural Resources

NC Department of Natural and Cultural Resources, State Parks

NC Division of Health and Human Services (NCDHHS), Environmental Health

NC Emergency Management (NCEM)

NC Office of Recovery and Resiliency

NC Wildlife Resources Commission (NCWRC)

NC Association of County Commissioners

NC League of Municipalities

The Conservation Fund

The Conservation Network

Conservation Trust for North Carolina (CTNC)

Coastal Federation

Environmental Defense Fund (EDF)

Mountain True

The Nature Conservancy (TNC), North Carolina

NC Foundation for Soil and Water Conservation

Southern Environmental Law Center (SELC)

Lead Agency: NC DEQ

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